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## List of Publications by Year in descending order

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#	ARTICLE	IF	CITATIONS
1	The opsins. <i>Genome Biology</i> , 2005, 6, 213.	13.9	506
2	Cephalochordate Melanopsin: Evolutionary Linkage between Invertebrate Visual Cells and Vertebrate Photosensitive Retinal Ganglion Cells. <i>Current Biology</i> , 2005, 15, 1065-1069.	1.8	219
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9	Depth Perception from Image Defocus in a Jumping Spider. <i>Science</i> , 2012, 335, 469-471.	6.0	125
10	Diversity of animal opsin-based pigments and their optogenetic potential. <i>Biochimica Et Biophysica Acta - Bioenergetics</i> , 2014, 1837, 710-716.	0.5	118
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23	Presence of Two Rhodopsin Intermediates Responsible for Transducin Activation. <i>Biochemistry</i> , 1997, 36, 14173-14180.	1.2	55
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37	Identification of a new intermediate state that binds but not activates transducin in the bleaching process of bovine rhodopsin. <i>FEBS Letters</i> , 1998, 425, 126-130.	1.3	23
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45	Distribution of Mammalian-Like Melanopsin in Cyclostome Retinas Exhibiting a Different Extent of Visual Functions. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2014, 9, e108209.	1.1	19
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